





Three scenarios for coastal future. DOCKKOOC

WWF Germany initiated a participatory pre-planning process for the development of a coastal marshland ("Dockkoog"), situated between the city of Husum and the Wadden Sea. The work was done by a project group consisting of representatives of the city and many other organisations and administrations concerned.

As a result, two rather conventional and one rather unusual planning alternatives were proposed. They would result in fairly different types of landscape and nature, with different effects for tourism, recreation and economic development. All three alternatives would safeguard Husum against storm surges.

For the two planning alternatives "Wide Marshland" and "Hotel at the Dike" the main feature would be to strengthen the dike along the present dike line. The main difference between the two would be the absence or presence of large buildings within the Dockkoog.

The planning alternative "Husum Hallig" is proposing a managed realignment of the dike, thus allowing for climate adaptation and better nature enjoyment in the former Dockkoog. A hotel should then be built on a new dwelling mount ("Warft") outside the dike, being accessible any time by a dam.

The results of the project group have been published in autumn 2016 (available at www.wwf.de/ watt/pikkowatt) and allow now for a broad discussion on the planning alternatives in Husum.

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Planning alternative "Husum Hallig"





2a) Hotel

2b) Hotel on a dwelling mount

3) Parking

4) Ground removal points

5) Foot / cycle path

6) Lagoon

7) Bathing jetty

8) Wooden boardwalk 9) Observation lodge

10) Access road on a dam















